

July 21, 2019

From the Pastor



I love the old saying that "pain is inevitable; misery is optional." No one is exempt from pain. We will either experience physical pain, emotional pain, or both. Not dealing accurately with our emotional pain will indeed lead to physical pain. It's possible to suffer in other ways as well.

Some will suffer abuse, some will suffer persecution. We suffer when we lack or do without. But what in the world did Paul mean when he tells us in today's text that in order to know Jesus intimately, we will need to 'fellowship in His suffering?'

I'm an American, for crying out loud! I don't want to hear anything about suffering. Suffering is a \$3 gallon of gasoline; it's enduring a 45 minute sermon! Suffering is a slow internet connection, waiting in a long line-- being surrounded by people on the road who have no clue how to drive.

I'm sure this Scripture has everything to do with His death, and our ability to identify with Him as we die daily to our own sin nature. Lightfoot, a Biblical commentator, says "the agony of Gethsemane, not less than the agony of Calvary, will be reproduced however faintly in the faithful servant of Christ."

Suffering as a result of our faith is never a penalty but always a privilege. I want to know Christ deeply, intimately...do you?

Blessings,

Randy & Pam

NEW TO OUR CHURCH?

Welcome to Trinity Life Center! We are so glad you joined us today. Here are some things you can do to be connected:

Please fill out our **Connection Card** (right in front of you) and exchange it for a gift from us at the Information Desk in the Lobby.

SUNDAY MORNINGS

9AM - Connect Point—all ages	(see campus map for locations)
Insights Prayer	Sanctuary
10AM - Worship Service	Sanctuary
Kids Zone	Rm# C106, 107

CONNECTION WEDNESDAYS

7PM - Worship Service	Sanctuary
Royal Rangers	Rm# 201, 202, 204
Girls Ministries	Rm# 203
IgNITE for Teens	Rm# C111

THURSDAY MORNING

9AM - Mountain Movers	Sanctuary
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Randy & Pam GreerLEAD PASTOR

Vic & Sara CarusoSENIOR ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Jimmy & Jamie FirzlaffEXECUTIVE ADMINISTRATIVE PASTOR

Mike & Marjorie HusliASSOCIATE PASTOR / CHILDREN

Dave & Sandi GreccoWORSHIP PASTOR

Daniel & Jinay KlineYOUTH PASTOR

Barbara PotopASSOCIATE PASTOR/PRAYER MINISTRY & MT MOVERS

Oretta Andrews.....YOUNG ADULTS PASTOR

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Pastor Randy Greer

“From a Dead Corpse to An Immortal Being”

Philippians 3:9-11



EVENTS

LIVE STREAMING ON FACEBOOK...

we are pleased to announce that our Sunday Services are now live streaming from our Facebook page: **Trinity Life Center, Las Vegas, NV.** Streaming begins at app. 10:30am live every Sunday morning.

THIS WEEK AT MT. MOVERS...

our weekly Thursday Mt. Movers prayer ministry will begin at 9am with Henry & Amy Entendencia giving the first hour devotional. These weekly prayer sessions have always attracted some of God's choice "Prayer Warriors" and those who are growing into that ministry. Come join Pastor Barbara.

BIBLE TEACHER, DORIAN TRAVERS...

will resume his Sunday morning class, "The 50 Commands of Jesus" on Aug 11th at 9am in the classroom behind the Sanctuary platform. And as Pastor Kelly winds down his teaching on Wednesday evenings at 7pm Pastor Travers will begin a new series on the 31st. These are great opportunities to get into the Word with exceptional studies taught by exceptional Bible teachers. We invite you to join in.

UPCOMING EVENTS

THE START OF THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR...

is not all that far away. Aug 12 school will begin in Clark County. This year we are planning a graduation party during the 9am Sunday School on Aug 11. Kindergarten through grades 6 will meet in KidZone and celebrate their advancement to the next grade and meet their new teachers. If your youngster has been attending classes this year or you feel it's time for them to start attending Sunday School be sure to bring them for this special celebration and orientation.

CIC ADULT NIGHT SCHOOL...

Registration is now open at <https://csn.augusoft.net> for HSE & ELA classes. HSE classes start Sept., 6-9pm and ELA classes will begin Sept., 24, 9am-12pm & 6-9pm. Registration is on a first come, first served basis.

BIG BEAR MARRIAGE RETREAT...

This annual fall event is scheduled for September 20-22, 2019 and accommodations will be at the Robinhood Resort in Big Bear, CA. It's not too early to begin making plans to attend. Detailed flyers are now in the lobby and the sign-up deadline is September 1st.

SERMON NOTES

Lined area for sermon notes.

DETAILS OF EVENTS AND REGISTRATION SHEETS ARE LOCATED IN THE MAIN LOBBY